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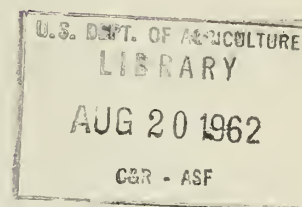
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# TRADE IN GRAIN FUTURES



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Key: a - asked price;      b - bid price;      n - nominal quotation

The open contract figures shown in this publication are the aggregates of positions long (or short) carried on the books of the clearing members.



Table 1. WHEAT: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Kansas City Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday					
2	19,340	985	4,528	281	25,134
3	20,984	1,738	6,137	245	29,104
Holiday					
5	17,632	1,491	4,619	202	23,944
6	18,925	2,157	3,885	281	25,248
Saturday					
Sunday					
9	20,045	1,636	3,391	304	25,376
10	15,745	1,163	2,714	272	19,894
11	15,921	1,602	3,214	324	21,061
12	16,229	1,148	2,738	237	20,352
13	22,236	1,234	2,917	361	26,748
Saturday					
Sunday					
16	42,712	3,825	8,871	588	55,996
17	23,829	2,495	4,838	218	31,380
18	19,998	1,752	3,527	350	25,627
19	19,285	2,410	2,350	261	24,306
20	21,301	1,881	2,248	349	25,779
Saturday					
Sunday					
23	12,405	1,704	1,773	216	16,098
24	16,945	1,453	1,830	345	20,573
25	23,633	1,312	2,016	389	27,350
26	18,713	720	1,562	372	21,367
27	14,944	936	1,589	305	17,774
Saturday					
Sunday					
30	17,423	1,271	1,102	284	20,080
31	16,768	1,731	1,665	398	20,562
Total					
July 1956	415,013	34,644	67,514	6,582	523,753
June 1956	292,900	20,704	43,219	8,464	365,287
July 1955	438,663	37,446	84,500	8,283	568,892



Table 2. WHEAT: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future					All futures
	July	September	December	March	May	
1956 July	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Sunday						
2	4,136	7,236	5,614	1,351	1,003	19,340
3	2,000	8,848	7,280	1,963	893	20,984
Holiday						
5	3,046	7,185	4,991	1,577	833	17,632
6	2,745	7,721	4,883	2,328	1,248	18,925
Saturday						
Sunday						
9	2,292	8,074	6,510	2,277	892	20,045
10	2,780	6,034	4,858	1,420	653	15,745
11	2,792	5,418	5,012	2,061	638	15,921
12	2,174	6,381	4,493	2,243	938	16,229
13	3,416	7,497	6,578	3,052	1,693	22,236
Saturday						
Sunday						
16	3,979	13,916	11,924	8,890	4,003	42,712
17	2,476	9,001	6,994	3,031	2,327	23,829
18	1,945	8,598	5,762	2,522	1,171	19,998
19	2,753	7,062	5,627	2,328	1,515	19,285
20	5,106	8,150	4,981	1,994	1,070	21,301
Saturday						
Sunday						
23	---	4,505	4,357	2,381	1,162	12,405
24	---	6,193	6,156	2,852	1,744	16,945
25	---	8,069	9,858	3,297	2,409	23,633
26	---	5,506	6,652	3,306	3,249	18,713
27	---	4,082	6,216	2,607	2,039	14,944
Saturday						
Sunday						
30	---	3,202	7,442	3,666	3,113	17,423
31	---	3,714	6,752	3,178	3,124	16,768
Total						
July 1956	41,640	146,392	132,940	58,324	35,717	415,013
June 1956	105,298	83,887	70,600	29,644	3,471	292,900
July 1955	63,903	146,615	172,264	37,131	18,750	438,663

Table 3. WHEAT: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Kansas City Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday					
2	71,054	5,886	18,096	697	95,733
3	73,133	5,704	18,939	678	98,454
Holiday					
5	74,374	5,920	18,937	686	99,917
6	75,925	5,853	19,362	686	101,826
Saturday					
Sunday					
9	77,783	5,993	20,201	697	104,674
10	79,537	5,952	20,320	703	106,512
11	81,974	6,138	20,981	722	109,815
12	82,720	6,091	21,049	725	110,585
13	84,121	6,132	21,468	748	112,469
Saturday					
Sunday					
16	86,518	6,990	23,141	568	117,217
17	86,729	7,087	24,418	578	118,812
18	87,674	7,109	25,277	612	120,672
19	87,804	7,033	25,287	642	120,846
20	87,554	7,182	25,650	598	120,984
Saturday					
Sunday					
23	89,476	7,531	26,141	603	123,751
24	91,222	7,803	25,709	757	125,491
25	94,070	7,776	25,249	697	127,792
26	96,541	7,746	25,281	749	130,317
27	98,239	7,700	25,428	898	132,265
Saturday					
Sunday					
30	101,807	7,848	25,538	942	136,135
31	104,210	7,917	25,439	905	138,471

Table 4. WHEAT: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future						All futures
	July	September	December	March	May		
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday							
2	15,841	19,552	20,032	12,573	3,056		71,054
3	15,383	20,235	21,095	13,065	3,355		73,133
Holiday							
5	14,519	21,474	21,314	13,448	3,619		74,374
6	13,432	22,355	21,670	14,354	4,114		75,925
Saturday							
Sunday							
9	12,561	22,464	22,943	15,353	4,462		77,783
10	11,280	23,153	24,274	15,948	4,882		79,537
11	10,782	23,945	25,338	16,850	5,059		81,974
12	9,813	23,907	26,218	17,438	5,344		82,720
13	8,862	23,995	26,802	18,499	5,963		84,121
Saturday							
Sunday							
16	8,092	23,893	26,729	20,384	7,420		86,518
17	6,933	24,579	25,975	20,920	8,322		86,729
18	6,506	24,750	26,325	21,516	8,577		87,674
19	4,726	25,014	26,851	22,077	9,216		87,884
20	970	26,665	27,825	22,688	9,406		87,554
Saturday							
Sunday							
23	735	26,899	28,360	23,604	9,878		89,476
24	555	27,284	28,842	24,479	10,062		91,222
25	390	27,412	30,580	24,990	10,698		94,070
26	225	26,385	31,794	26,121	12,016		96,541
27	150	26,129	32,600	26,829	12,531		98,239
Saturday							
Sunday							
30	135	25,416	34,143	28,450	13,663		101,807
31	---	24,633	34,978	29,397	15,202		104,210



Table 5. ~~W~~HEAT: Daily closing prices, at Chicago, Minneapolis  
Kansas City and Liverpool  
July 1956

Date	1956 September future			1956 Oct. future	
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Kansas City	Liverpool	
	Board of	Grain	Board of		
	Trade	Exchange	Trade	1/	
1956					
July	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	
Sunday					
2	206-06 1/8	217 7/8 a	208 1/4	198 5/8 n	
3	207 5/8-3/4	220 1/2	210 3/4	198 3/8 n	
Holiday					
5	209 3/4-10	222 5/8	211 1/8	198 1/2 n	
6	208 1/4-1/2	222 3/4	210 7/8-11	199 3/8 n	
Saturday					
Sunday					
9	209 5/8-3/4	222 7/8	211 1/2	199 3/8 n	
10	208 7/8-09	223 3/4	211 5/8	199 3/8 n	
11	208-08 1/8	224	210 3/4	198 3/4 n	
12	208-08 1/4	224	209 7/8-10	198 3/4 n	
13	210 3/8-5/8	224 3/4	211 1/2	199 1/2 n	
Saturday					
Sunday					
16	217 1/4-1/2	232 5/8	217-17 1/8	200 3/4 n	
17	216-16 1/8	231 1/2	216-16 1/8	201 1/4 n	
18	216 3/4-7/8	231 1/8	216 3/8-1/2	201 1/4 n	
19	216 1/2-3/4	230 1/4	215 1/2	201 1/4 n	
20	216 1/8-1/4	230 1/8 a	215 1/4	201 3/8 n	
Saturday					
Sunday					
23	215 5/8-3/4	228 7/8	214-14 1/4	201 1/4 n	
24	217 3/8-1/2	230 1/8 b	215	200 1/4 n	
25	216-16 1/8	229 1/2	214 1/2-5/8	200 n	
26	215-15 1/8	228 3/8	213 1/2	200 n	
27	216-16 1/8	228 1/2	214 -14 3/8	199 1/4 n	
Saturday					
Sunday					
30	216 5/8-3/4	229	214 5/8	200 5/8 n	
31	216 1/2-5/8	228 5/8	215 1/8	202 3/8 n	

1/ "As reported by the Chicago Board of Trade in cents per bushel converted from pounds, shillings and pence per ton 2,240 pounds."

Table 6. WHEAT: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1956

Date	1956 July future			1956 September future			1956 December future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1956									
July	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
Sunday	:			:			:		
2	:204	201 7/8	202 7/8-03	:206 7/8	204 3/4	206-06 1/8	:211 1/4	209 1/8	210-10 1/4
3	:206	204 1/4	204 1/2-5/8	:209	207 5/8	207 5/8-3/4	:213	211 5/8	211 7/8-12
Holiday	:			:			:		
5	:206 5/8	204 3/8	206 1/4-1/2	:210	207 1/2	209 3/4-10	:213 3/4	211 1/2	213 5/8-3/4
6	207 3/8	205 1/8	205 1/8-1/4	:210 3/8	208 1/4	208 1/4-1/2	:214 3/8	212 1/2	212 7/8-13
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
9	:206 7/8	204 1/2	206 3/4-7/8	:209 3/4	207 1/2	209 5/8-3/4	:214	211 7/8	213 5/8-3/4
10	:207 5/8	205 3/4	205 3/4-06	:210 1/2	208 3/4	208 7/8-09	:214 1/2	212 5/8	212 5/8-3/4
11	:206 5/8	205 1/8	205 1/8	:209 1/2	208	208-08 1/8	:213 5/8	212 1/4	212 1/4-3/8
12	:205 3/8	204 1/2	205-05 1/4	:208 1/2	207 1/8	208-08 1/4	:212 1/2	211 1/2	212 1/4-3/8
13	:208	204 3/4	207 3/8-5/8	:210 5/8	207 5/8	210 3/8-5/8	:215 1/8	211 7/8	214 5/8-7/8
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
16	:215 1/2	212 1/4	214 3/4-15	:220	215	217 1/4-1/2	:223	218 3/4	221 1/8-1/2
17	:215 1/8	213 5/8	213 5/8-3/4	:217 3/8	216	216-16 1/8	:221 1/8	219 3/4	220-20 1/8
18	:215	213	214 1/2	:217 1/4	215 5/8	216 3/4-7/8	:221 1/4	219 1/2	220 3/4
19	:215 1/2	213 3/4	214 3/4-7/8	:217 5/8	215 3/4	216 1/2-3/4	:221 5/8	219 7/8	220 1/2-5/8
20	:216 3/4	213 1/2	213 1/2-15 3/4-218	:218	215 7/8	216 1/8-1/4	:221 3/4	219 3/4	220 1/2
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
23	:---	---	---	:216 1/4	215 1/8	215 5/8-3/4	:220 1/8	219	219 1/2-5/8
24	:---	---	---	:217 5/8	215 1/4	217 3/8-1/2	:221 3/4	219	221 1/2-3/4
25	:---	---	---	:218	216	216-16 1/8	:222 1/2	220 5/8	220 5/8-3/4
26	:---	---	---	:216 1/8	214 7/8	215-15 1/8	:220 7/8	219 1/2	219 5/8-3/4
27	:---	---	---	:216 3/8	214 3/4	216-16 1/8	:220 5/8	219 1/8	220 1/8-3/8
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
30	:---	---	---	:217 1/8	215 1/2	216 5/8-3/4	:221 1/2	219 5/8	221-21 1/8
31	:---	---	---	:217 3/4	216 1/4	216 1/2-5/8	:222 1/8	220 5/8	221-21 1/4

Table 7. CORN: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1956 July	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Sunday			
2	8,798	31	8,829
3	7,297	71	7,368
Holiday			
5	11,761	119	11,880
6	10,117	91	10,208
Saturday			
Sunday			
9	8,660	35	8,695
10	8,609	59	8,668
11	10,114	39	10,153
12	9,889	54	9,943
13	6,561	55	6,616
Saturday			
Sunday			
16	9,287	101	9,388
17	11,052	78	11,130
18	13,182	168	13,350
19	10,064	121	10,185
20	10,722	86	10,808
Saturday			
Sunday			
23	11,670	156	11,826
24	11,139	117	11,256
25	8,801	71	8,872
26	6,865	33	6,898
27	10,418	80	10,498
Saturday			
Sunday			
30	6,241	46	6,287
31	6,507	93	6,600
Total			
July 1956	197,754	1,704	199,458
June 1956	209,583	2,004	211,587
July 1955	160,573	2,284	162,857



Table 8. CORN: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future						All futures
	July	September	December	March	May		
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
Sunday							
2	2,715	2,404	3,054	625			8,798
3	2,413	1,964	2,337	583			7,297
Holiday							
5	2,260	3,480	4,597	1,424			11,761
6	2,620	2,485	4,067	945			10,117
Saturday							
Sunday							
9	1,831	2,323	3,409	1,097			8,660
10	2,714	2,502	2,863	530			8,609
11	2,799	3,163	3,394	758			10,114
12	2,366	3,140	3,657	726			9,889
13	1,469	2,550	2,223	319			6,561
Saturday							
Sunday							
16	1,543	3,052	4,263	387	42		9,287
17	1,187	2,954	5,847	1,034	30		11,052
18	1,943	4,036	5,545	1,413	245		13,182
19	1,873	4,020	3,393	747	31		10,064
20	3,218	3,190	3,626	573	115		10,722
Saturday							
Sunday							
23	---	5,838	4,656	1,092	84		11,670
24	---	4,747	5,201	1,022	169		11,139
25	---	3,944	3,921	687	249		8,801
26	---	3,353	2,841	509	162		6,865
27	---	3,997	5,151	1,128	142		10,418
Saturday							
Sunday							
30	---	2,031	3,479	548	183		6,241
31	---	2,145	3,483	772	107		6,507
Total							
July 1956	30,951	67,318	81,007	16,919	1,559		197,754
June 1956	82,201	49,072	64,215	14,095	---		209,583
July 1955	27,565	55,661	63,840	9,683	3,824		160,573

Table 9. CORN: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday			
2	57,784	275	58,059
3	57,295	255	57,550
Holiday			
5	56,604	197	56,801
6	55,574	209	55,783
Saturday			
Sunday			
9	55,650	202	55,852
10	55,727	215	55,942
11	54,597	216	54,813
12	53,879	231	54,110
13	53,532	231	53,763
Saturday			
Sunday			
16	52,345	229	52,574
17	52,660	233	52,893
18	53,409	267	53,676
19	52,994	275	53,269
20	52,221	262	52,483
Saturday			
Sunday			
23	50,640	248	50,888
24	50,570	237	50,807
25	50,426	221	50,647
26	50,872	219	51,091
27	51,100	242	51,342
Saturday			
Sunday			
30	51,953	248	52,201
31	52,259	254	52,513

Table 10. CORN: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future						All futures
	July	September	December	March	May		
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday							
2	12,720	21,923	17,720	5,421			57,784
3	11,829	22,148	17,904	5,414			57,295
Holiday							
5	10,483	22,182	18,356	5,583			56,604
6	9,264	22,245	18,606	5,459			55,574
Saturday							
Sunday							
9	8,578	22,194	19,268	5,610			55,650
10	8,017	22,539	19,484	5,687			55,727
11	6,815	22,427	19,612	5,743			54,597
12	5,815	22,437	19,682	5,945			53,879
13	4,961	22,323	20,235	6,013			53,532
Saturday							
Sunday							
16	4,469	21,904	19,905	6,035	32		52,345
17	4,177	22,130	20,273	6,023	57		52,660
18	3,193	22,466	21,030	6,498	222		53,409
19	2,025	22,722	21,553	6,451	243		52,994
20	951	22,703	21,920	6,369	278		52,221
Saturday							
Sunday							
23	47	22,199	21,673	6,383	338		50,640
24	7	21,504	21,998	6,584	477		50,570
25	5	21,191	22,006	6,611	613		50,426
26	---	21,188	22,236	6,727	721		50,672
27	---	21,033	22,414	6,851	802		51,100
Saturday							
Sunday							
30	---	20,936	23,114	6,989	914		51,953
31	---	21,014	23,252	7,074	919		52,259

Table 11. CORN: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1956

Date	1956 July future			1956 September future			1956 December future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1956									
July									
Sunday									
2	:148 7/8	147 1/2	148 5/8-3/4	:149 3/4	148 1/2	149 1/2	:139 1/2	137 1/2	138 3/4-7/8
3	:149 1/8	148 1/2	148 7/8-49	:149 7/8	148 7/8	148 7/8	:139	137 1/2	137 1/2-5/8
Holiday									
5	:148 7/8	147 7/8	148 3/8-1/2	:148 5/8	147 1/2	148	:136 7/8	135 3/8	135 7/8-36
6	:149 1/8	148 1/4	148 1/4-3/8	:148 3/8	147 5/8	147 3/4	:136 1/2	135	135-35 1/4
Saturday									
Sunday									
9	:149	147 1/2	148 7/8-49	:148 1/8	147 3/8	147 7/8-48	:135 1/4	134 5/8	135-35 1/8
10	:151 1/8	149	151-51 1/8	:149	148 1/8	148 7/8-49	:136 1/8	135 1/8	135 7/8-36
11	:153 1/4	151 1/4	153-53 1/8	:150 1/8	148 7/8	149 7/8-50	:137 3/4	135 7/8	137 3/8-1/2
12	:153	151 5/8	152 7/8-53	:150 1/4	148 3/4	149 1/8-1/4	:137 3/4	136 1/2	136 7/8-37
13	:152 1/2	151 1/2	151 1/2-3/4	:148 7/8	148	148 3/8-1/2	:137	135 7/8	136 3/4-7/8
Saturday									
Sunday									
16	:153 1/4	151 1/4	151 1/2	:149 3/8	148 3/8	148 5/8-3/4	:138 1/4	137 1/4	137 3/4-7/8
17	:153	150 7/8	152 7/8	:150 1/8	148 1/4	150-50 1/8	:139 1/4	137 1/2	139 1/8-1/4
18	:154 1/2	152 5/8	154 1/4-1/2	:151 3/8	149 3/4	151 1/4-3/8	:140 1/8	138 1/4	139 1/2-5/8
19	:154 7/8	153 3/8	153 3/8-1/2	:152	150 1/8	150 3/8-1/2	:139 7/8	138 1/4	138 5/8
20	:154 1/2	150 3/4	151-51 3/4	:150 5/8	149 1/4	149 3/8-1/2	:138 5/8	137 1/2	137 5/8-3/4
Saturday									
Sunday									
23	:---	---	---	:149 1/8	146 1/4	146 1/4-3/8	:137 3/8	135 3/4	136-36 1/8
24	:---	---	---	:147	145 3/8	146 1/2-3/4	:137	135 1/2	136 5/8-3/4
25	:---	---	---	:147 3/4	146	146 1/4-3/8	:137 7/8	136 3/4	136 7/8-37
26	:---	---	---	:146 3/4	145 3/4	146 1/2-5/8	:137 3/8	136 1/2	137 1/4-3/8
27	:---	---	---	:148 5/8	147 1/4	148 3/8-1/2	:139 1/2	137 5/8	139 1/4-3/8
Saturday									
Sunday									
30	:---	---	---	:148 1/2	147 1/4	148-48 1/8	:139	138	138 1/4-3/8
31	:---	---	---	:149 1/4	147 1/2	149 1/8-1/4	:139 1/8	137 5/8	138 7/8-39







Table 12. OATS: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Other contract markets	Total
1956 July	<u>1,000 bushels</u>	<u>1,000 bushels</u>	<u>1,000 bushels</u>	<u>1,000 bushels</u>
Sunday				
2	3,194	167	17	3,378
3	1,855	157	11	2,023
Holiday				
5	2,820	70	22	2,912
6	4,315	188	28	4,531
Saturday				
Sunday				
9	4,942	166	38	5,146
10	4,230	203	---	4,433
11	8,511	234	122	8,867
12	4,075	279	7	4,361
13	4,812	312	7	5,131
Saturday				
Sunday				
16	5,545	325	28	5,898
17	4,233	248	5	4,486
18	4,378	149	68	4,595
19	4,519	349	121	4,989
20	5,763	286	76	6,125
Saturday				
Sunday				
23	5,385	419	25	5,829
24	4,273	346	90	4,709
25	4,479	233	69	4,781
26	2,707	302	5	3,014
27	2,913	233	22	3,168
Saturday				
Sunday				
30	4,788	334	2	5,124
31	3,601	313	15	3,929
Total				
July 1956	91,338	5,313	778	97,429
June 1956	46,350	3,357	170	49,877
July 1955	84,921	3,919	391	89,231

Table 13. OATS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future					All futures
	July	September	December	March	May	
1956 July	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Sunday						
2	280	1,301	1,185	428		3,194
3	414	649	671	121		1,855
Holiday						
5	416	1,099	1,035	270		2,820
6	956	1,528	1,673	158		4,315
Saturday						
Sunday						
9	657	1,590	1,990	705		4,942
10	702	1,322	1,715	491		4,230
11	901	2,729	3,946	935		8,511
12	314	1,060	2,049	652		4,075
13	589	2,147	1,466	610		4,812
Saturday						
Sunday						
16	290	1,651	2,635	922	47	5,545
17	337	1,378	1,915	588	15	4,233
18	789	1,517	1,168	761	143	4,378
19	314	1,557	1,727	664	257	4,519
20	835	1,162	2,527	907	332	5,763
Saturday						
Sunday						
23	---	1,259	2,357	1,494	275	5,365
24	---	1,092	1,878	982	321	4,273
25	---	1,002	2,154	1,075	248	4,479
26	---	609	1,359	515	224	2,707
27	---	708	1,309	651	245	2,913
Saturday						
Sunday						
30	---	1,132	2,200	1,050	406	4,788
31	---	838	1,511	701	551	3,601
Total						
July 1956	7,794	27,330	38,470	14,680	3,064	91,338
June 1956	11,743	17,442	15,142	2,023	---	46,350
July 1955	11,263	30,946	33,216	8,595	901	84,921

Table 14. OATS: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Other contract markets	Total
	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>
1956 <u>July</u>				
Sunday				
2	22,241	1,443	53	23,737
3	22,185	1,378	53	23,616
Holiday				
5	22,453	1,379	66	23,898
6	22,814	1,492	56	24,362
Saturday				
Sunday				
9	23,538	1,302	72	24,912
10	24,186	1,285	72	25,543
11	25,704	1,296	178	27,178
12	26,425	1,224	185	27,834
13	27,325	1,362	180	28,867
Saturday				
Sunday				
16	28,333	1,428	204	29,965
17	28,724	1,416	209	30,349
18	28,897	1,451	209	30,557
19	29,675	1,533	309	31,517
20	29,828	1,534	367	31,729
Saturday				
Sunday				
23	31,161	1,559	382	33,102
24	32,205	1,576	336	34,117
25	33,317	1,577	299	35,193
26	33,843	1,534	304	35,681
27	34,455	1,594	326	36,375
Saturday				
Sunday				
30	35,788	1,658	328	37,774
31	36,286	1,725	323	38,334

Table 15. OATS: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future					All futures
	July	September	December	March	May	
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday						
2	3,253	7,750	10,108	1,130		22,241
3	3,089	7,712	10,223	1,161		22,185
Holiday						
5	2,888	7,926	10,455	1,184		22,453
6	2,663	8,183	10,776	1,192		22,814
Saturday						
Sunday						
9	2,366	8,437	11,151	1,584		23,538
10	2,181	8,697	11,517	1,791		24,186
11	1,892	9,055	12,628	2,129		25,704
12	1,722	9,252	13,069	2,382		26,425
13	1,760	9,527	13,281	2,757		27,325
Saturday						
Sunday						
16	1,662	9,729	13,884	3,031	27	28,333
17	1,521	9,911	14,019	3,231	42	28,724
18	1,028	10,021	14,079	3,589	180	28,897
19	980	9,909	14,467	3,989	330	29,675
20	355	9,897	14,601	4,333	592	29,828
Saturday						
Sunday						
23	305	9,756	15,291	5,042	767	31,161
24	225	9,763	15,824	5,470	923	32,205
25	140	9,819	16,389	5,958	1,011	33,317
26	90	9,821	16,746	6,078	1,108	33,843
27	90	9,728	17,129	6,295	1,213	34,455
Saturday						
Sunday						
30	90	9,716	17,819	6,741	1,422	35,788
31	---	9,739	17,838	6,991	1,718	36,286



Table 16. OATS: Daily closing prices, Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg, and rate of exchange, Canadian Currency  
July 1956

Date	1956 September future		1956 Oct. future		Exchange Rate Canadian Currency <u>2/</u>
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Winnipeg		
	Board of	Grain	Grain		
	Trade	Exchange	Exchange <u>1/</u>		
1956 July	Cents	Cents	Cents		Cents
Sunday					
2	69 3/4	64 1/8 b	Holiday		101.9062
3	69 5/8	64 3/4	78 1/4 a		101.7946
Holiday					
5	69 3/4-7/8	65 1/2 b	78 1/2		101.9933
6	70 7/8-71	66 a	79 1/8		102.1666
Saturday					
Sunday					
9	71 5/8-3/4	66 3/8 b	79 3/8 b		101.9312
10	71 1/2-3/4	65 7/8 a	79 7/8 a		101.8125
11	73 3/8-5/8	68 1/8 b	80 3/4 b		101.7500
12	73 3/8-1/2	68 1/8 a	80 3/4 b		101.6316
13	74 1/8-1/4	68 1/2 b	81 5/8		101.8281
Saturday					
Sunday					
16	73 7/8-74	68 3/8 a	81 3/8 a		101.7604
17	73 3/4-74	68 1/2	81 3/8		101.8437
18	74 5/8	69 3/8	81 7/8		101.8177
19	74 5/8	70 3/8	82 1/8		101.8750
20	74	70 1/8 b	82 1/4 a		101.8526
Saturday					
Sunday					
23	72 1/8-1/4	68 3/8 a	81 1/8		101.8156
24	72 1/4-3/8	68 7/8 a	81 5/8 a		101.8125
25	72 7/8-73	68 7/8	82 1/8		101.7057
26	72 5/8	68 3/4 a	82 1/4 b		101.7812
27	72 7/8-73	69 b	82 1/2 a		101.7864
Saturday					
Sunday					
30	73 1/2-7/8	70	82 3/4 a		101.7916
31	74-74 1/8	70	83		101.8750

1/ As reported by the Chicago Board of Trade and converted to American currency at rates shown.

2/ Based on noon buying rates in New York certified for customs purposes by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

Table 17. OATS: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1956

Date	1956 July future			1956 September future			1956 December future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1956									
July	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
Sunday	:			:			:		
2	:68 3/8	67 5/8	68 1/4	:70 1/4	69 1/4	69 3/4	:73 1/4	72 1/4	72 3/4-7/8
3	:68 1/4	67 1/2	67 7/8-68	:70	69 1/2	69 5/8	:73 1/8	72 1/2	72 3/4-7/8
Holiday	:			:			:		
5	:68 1/8	67 3/4	68 1/8	:70	69 1/2	69 3/4-7/8	:73 1/4	72 5/8	72 7/8-73 1/8
6	:69 1/8	68	68 7/8-69	:71 1/8	69 3/4	70 7/8-71	:74 1/4	73	73 7/8-74
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
9	:69 7/8	68 7/8	69 3/4-7/8	:71 3/4	70 5/8	71 5/8-3/4	:74 7/8	73 3/4	74 3/4
10	:70 3/8	69 3/4	70	:72 1/8	71 1/4	71 1/2-3/4	:75 1/8	74 1/4	74 1/2-5/8
11	:71 7/8	70 1/2	71 3/4	:73 3/4	72	73 3/8-5/8	:76 3/4	75	76 1/2-5/8
12	:72	70 7/8	71 7/8-72	:73 1/2	72 3/4	73 3/8-1/2	:76 3/8	75 5/8	76 1/4-3/8
13	:73 1/8	71 3/4	72 3/4	:74 5/8	73 1/8	74 1/8-1/4	:76 5/8	75 3/4	76 1/8
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
16	:73 5/8	72 1/4	72 5/8-3/4	:75	73 5/8	73 7/8-74	:77 1/8	76	76 1/4
17	:73 1/2	72 1/4	73 1/4-1/2	:74 1/4	73 3/8	73 3/4-74	:76 1/2	75 3/4	75 7/8
18	:75 1/4	73 1/8	75 1/8-1/4	:74 7/8	73 7/8	74 5/8	:76 1/2	75 7/8	76 1/4
19	:76 3/4	75	75 5/8	:75 3/8	74 3/8	74 5/8	:76 5/8	76 1/8	76 1/8-1/4
20	:76	74	74-76	:74 5/8	73 3/4	74	:76 1/8	75 3/8	75 1/2-3/4
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
23	:---	---	---	:73 1/2	72 1/8	72 1/8-1/4	:75 3/8	74 1/8	74 1/8-1/4
24	:---	---	---	:72 3/4	71 3/4	72 1/4-3/8	:74 7/8	73 3/4	74 1/2-3/4
25	:---	---	---	:73 1/4	72 1/2	72 7/8-73	:75 7/8	74 7/8	75 1/4-3/8
26	:---	---	---	:72 7/8	72 1/2	72 5/8	:75 3/8	74 3/4	75-75 1/8
27	:---	---	---	:73 3/8	72 1/2	72 7/8-73	:75 7/8	75 1/8	75 5/8-3/4
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday	:			:			:		
30	:---	---	---	:74	72 5/8	73 1/2-7/8	:76 5/8	75 1/2	76 1/4
31	:---	---	---	:74 1/4	73 5/8	74-74 1/8	:77	76 3/8	76 5/8

Table 18. RYE: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	: Chicago Board of Trade	: Minneapolis Grain Exchange	: Other contract markets	: Total
	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>
1956				
July				
Sunday				
2	1,244	2	10	1,256
3	1,515	5	7	1,527
Holiday				
5	1,487	---	12	1,499
6	1,991	50	26	2,067
Saturday				
Sunday				
9	3,182	32	60	3,274
10	2,076	6	15	2,097
11	2,983	2	29	3,014
12	2,268	38	22	2,328
13	4,141	50	32	4,223
Saturday				
Sunday				
16	5,473	10	22	5,505
17	2,945	94	28	3,067
18	2,768	29	33	2,830
19	2,581	31	42	2,654
20	3,893	33	84	4,010
Saturday				
Sunday				
23	3,008	16	49	3,073
24	3,062	38	43	3,143
25	3,514	90	34	3,638
26	2,131	69	23	2,223
27	1,758	22	30	1,810
Saturday				
Sunday				
30	1,998	58	14	2,070
31	2,630	37	21	2,688
Total				
July 1956	56,648	712	636	57,996
June 1956	33,762	482	543	34,787
July 1955	42,836	137	407	43,380



Table 19. RYE: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future					All futures
	July	September	December	March	May	
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday						
2	318	444	437	45		1,244
3	199	622	557	137		1,515
Holiday						
5	375	556	496	60		1,487
6	314	752	770	155		1,991
Saturday						
Sunday						
9	337	1,211	1,454	180		3,182
10	230	976	694	176		2,076
11	244	1,234	1,220	285		2,983
12	85	994	971	218		2,268
13	302	1,623	1,884	332		4,141
Saturday						
Sunday						
16	156	2,154	2,553	558	52	5,473
17	352	944	1,030	457	162	2,945
18	165	1,119	1,079	319	86	2,768
19	149	1,075	1,150	197	10	2,581
20	350	1,049	1,873	621	---	3,893
Saturday						
Sunday						
23	---	961	1,383	585	79	3,008
24	---	1,172	1,390	380	120	3,062
25	---	1,092	1,750	540	132	3,514
26	---	537	1,048	344	202	2,131
27	---	591	695	363	109	1,758
Saturday						
Sunday						
30	---	588	1,050	208	152	1,998
31	---	600	956	535	539	2,630
Total						
July 1956	3,576	20,294	24,440	6,695	1,643	56,648
June 1956	9,108	12,749	10,772	1,133	---	33,762
July 1955	5,409	15,818	16,674	4,698	237	42,836



Table 20. RYE: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Other contract markets	Total
1956 July	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Sunday				
2	10,102	193	134	10,429
3	10,216	193	140	10,549
Holiday				
5	9,962	145	141	10,248
6	10,014	134	156	10,304
Saturday				
Sunday				
9	10,316	166	181	10,663
10	10,385	172	194	10,751
11	10,633	113	191	10,937
12	10,729	109	186	11,024
13	10,840	147	193	11,180
Saturday				
Sunday				
16	10,992	149	194	11,335
17	11,330	198	180	11,708
18	11,440	204	196	11,840
19	11,612	193	207	12,012
20	12,206	201	211	12,618
Saturday				
Sunday				
23	12,943	201	193	13,337
24	13,097	215	175	13,487
25	13,339	269	170	13,778
26	13,700	293	181	14,174
27	13,902	291	183	14,376
Saturday				
Sunday				
30	14,048	331	184	14,563
31	14,837	346	181	15,364

Table 21. RYE: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future					All futures
	July	September	December	March	May	
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday						
2	1,446	3,957	4,194	505		10,102
3	1,340	4,073	4,301	502		10,216
Holiday						
5	1,148	4,018	4,264	532		9,962
6	1,120	3,961	4,313	620		10,014
Saturday						
Sunday						
9	1,058	3,917	4,719	622		10,316
10	926	3,942	4,818	699		10,385
11	812	3,924	5,066	831		10,633
12	767	3,923	5,123	916		10,729
13	628	3,778	5,436	998		10,840
Saturday						
Sunday						
16	541	3,570	5,593	1,273	15	10,992
17	349	3,611	5,696	1,498	176	11,330
18	254	3,645	5,823	1,500	218	11,440
19	176	3,804	5,851	1,553	228	11,612
20	96	4,041	6,118	1,723	228	12,206
Saturday						
Sunday						
23	5	4,261	6,426	1,977	274	12,943
24	---	4,034	6,642	2,075	346	13,097
25	---	3,941	6,810	2,203	385	13,339
26	---	3,962	7,011	2,296	431	13,700
27	---	3,914	7,090	2,387	511	13,902
Saturday						
Sunday						
30	---	3,853	7,162	2,447	586	14,048
31	---	3,854	7,323	2,748	912	14,637

Table 22. RYE: Daily closing prices, at Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg  
July 1956

Date	1956 September future		1956 October future	
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Winnipeg	
	Board of	Grain	Grain	
	Trade	Exchange	Exchange	1/
1956 July	Cents	Cents	Cents	
Sunday				
2	123 7/8-24	117 n	Holiday	
3	123 3/4	118 b	117 1/4	
Holiday				
5	124 3/8	118 n	117 5/8	
6	125 1/4	119 b	119 1/8	
Saturday				
Sunday				
9	127 3/4-7/8	121 1/2 b	120 1/2	
10	127 1/2-3/4	121 1/2 b	121 7/8-22	
11	130 1/2-3/4	125 1/2 b	123 1/2 b	
12	131 1/2	127 1/2 b	122 7/8-23	
13	134 3/4-35	130 1/2 b	127 1/2-5/8	
Saturday				
Sunday				
16	140-40 1/4	134 a	129 3/4-7/8	
17	138-38 1/4	132 3/4	128 7/8-29	
18	139 1/4	133	130 1/8 a	
19	138	132	131 1/8	
20	138 1/4	133 a	129 3/8-1/2	
Saturday				
Sunday				
23	136 1/2-3/4	132 3/4 b	126 3/8-5/8	
24	140 1/2	134 1/4 b	128 b	
25	138 3/4-39	134 3/4 b	127-27 1/8	
26	138 1/4-1/2	134 3/4 b	128 7/8 b	
27	139 1/2-3/4	135 1/2 b	128 1/2-5/8	
Saturday				
Sunday				
30	139 1/4	134 1/2	129 1/4	
31	139 1/2-3/4	134 1/4	131 1/8	

1/ As reported by the Chicago Board of Trade and converted to American currency at rates shown in Table 16.



Table 23. RYE: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1956

Date	1956 July future			1956 September future			1956 December future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1956	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
July	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
Sunday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2	:123	121 1/2	122 1/2	:124 1/4	122 1/2	123 7/8-24	:128	126 1/2	127 3/4-28
3	:123 1/4	122 1/2	122 3/4	:124 3/4	123 5/8	123 3/4	:128 3/4	127	127-27 1/2
Holiday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
5	:124	121 1/4	124	:124 5/8	122 1/2	124 3/8	:128 1/2	126 3/8	128 1/4
6	:124 1/2	123	123 1/2	:126	124 1/2	125 1/4	:129 1/2	128	129
Saturday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Sunday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
9	:126	123 1/2	125 1/4	:127 7/8	125 3/4	127 3/4-7/8	:132	129 3/4	132
10	:125 1/2	125	125	:128 1/4	127 1/4	127 1/2-3/4	:132 1/2	131 1/2	131 3/4-32
11	:129 3/4	126 1/4	128 1/2	:131 1/4	128 3/4	130 1/2-3/4	:135 3/8	133 1/4	134 3/4
12	:129 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	:131 3/4	130 5/8	131 1/2	:135 3/4	134 1/4	135 1/4
13	:133 1/2	130	133 1/4-1/2	:135	131 1/4	134 3/4-35	:138 7/8	135 1/4	138 3/4-7/8
Saturday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Sunday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
16	:138 1/2	134 1/2	137 3/4 a	:141 1/2	136 1/2	140-40 1/4	:146	141	144 1/4
17	:138	136 3/4 a	137 1/4	:139 1/4	138	138-38 1/4	:144	141 3/4	141 3/4
18	:139	135 3/4	139	:139 5/8	136 3/4	139 1/4	:143 1/2	140 1/2	143 1/4
19	:140 1/4	137	137	:140 1/2	137 3/4	138	:144 5/8	141 1/4	141 1/2
20	:138	135 1/4	136 1/2-37	:138 3/4	136 3/4	138 1/4	:142 1/2	139 3/4	141 3/4
Saturday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Sunday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
23	:---	---	---	:138 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2-3/4	:141 1/2	139 3/4	139 3/4
24	:---	---	---	:140 1/2	136	140 1/2	:143 1/2	139 1/4	143 1/4-1/2
25	:---	---	---	:141 1/4	138 1/2	138 3/4-39	:144 1/4	141 1/2	142 1/4
26	:---	---	---	:139 1/2	137 1/2	138 1/4-1/2	:142 1/2	140 1/2	141 1/2
27	:---	---	---	:140 1/4	138	139 1/2-3/4	:143 1/4	141	142 3/4-43
Saturday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Sunday	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
30	:---	---	---	:139 3/4	138	139 1/4	:143 1/8	141 1/4	142 1/2
31	:---	---	---	:140 1/2	138 3/4	139 1/2-3/4	:144	142 3/4	143 1/4-1/2

Table 24. SOYBEANS: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Other contract markets	Total
1956 July	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Sunday				
2	30,123	---	356	30,479
3	22,465	---	530	22,995
Holiday				
5	25,495	---	357	25,852
6	22,575	---	318	22,893
Saturday				
Sunday				
9	23,712	5	229	23,946
10	21,163	---	284	21,447
11	18,792	---	132	18,924
12	25,947	---	239	26,186
13	19,075	---	147	19,222
Saturday				
Sunday				
16	14,363	---	147	14,510
17	16,753	---	83	16,836
18	14,123	---	98	14,221
19	21,010	---	322	21,332
20	32,646	---	272	32,918
Saturday				
Sunday				
23	27,671	---	324	27,995
24	33,425	---	242	33,667
25	19,763	---	206	19,969
26	20,030	---	166	20,196
27	17,184	---	228	17,412
Saturday				
Sunday				
30	17,735	---	380	18,115
31	16,223	---	282	16,505
Total				
July 1956	460,273	5	5,342	465,620
June 1956	614,792	---	8,518	623,310
July 1955	238,266	15	2,393	240,674

Table 25. SOYBEANS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future						All futures
	July	September	November	January	March	May	
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
July	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
Sunday							
2	15,098	7,263	4,856	1,488	1,418		30,123
3	10,825	4,973	4,474	1,400	793		22,465
Holiday							
5	9,909	6,290	6,131	2,110	1,055		25,495
6	10,814	5,051	4,734	1,492	484		22,575
Saturday							
Sunday							
9	10,277	5,518	5,144	1,679	1,094		23,712
10	9,087	4,896	4,861	1,304	1,015		21,163
11	7,271	4,849	4,968	1,245	459		18,792
12	11,960	6,840	5,125	1,179	843		25,947
13	8,124	5,320	4,264	1,011	356		19,075
Saturday							
Sunday							
16	5,325	4,141	3,691	710	496		14,363
17	5,887	4,809	4,152	1,142	763		16,753
18	5,781	3,736	3,300	804	502		14,123
19	7,899	6,023	4,731	1,269	1,088		21,010
20	8,524	11,046	8,660	2,837	1,579		32,646
Saturday							
Sunday							
23	---	11,483	10,425	2,163	2,049	1,551	27,671
24	---	10,722	10,619	6,147	4,297	1,640	33,425
25	---	7,907	7,448	2,119	1,390	899	19,763
26	---	8,198	8,190	1,563	1,465	614	20,030
27	---	6,174	7,169	1,889	1,074	878	17,184
Saturday							
Sunday							
30	---	6,756	6,672	2,198	1,404	705	17,735
31	---	5,747	6,081	2,047	1,001	1,347	16,223
Total							
July 1956	126,781	137,742	125,695	37,796	24,625	7,634	460,273
June 1956	345,092	131,997	91,038	34,372	12,293	---	614,792
July 1955	50,153	1/57,529	1/86,027	1/23,151	20,159	1,247	238,266

1/ Old and new combined.



Table 26. SOYBEANS: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
July 1956

Date	: Chicago Board of Trade	: Minneapolis Grain Exchange	: Other contract markets	: Total
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday				
2	78,631	---	434	79,065
3	79,725	---	321	80,046
Holiday				
5	80,130	---	322	80,452
6	79,245	---	328	79,573
Saturday				
Sunday				
9	80,269	5	328	80,602
10	81,479	5	289	81,773
11	80,947	5	309	81,261
12	80,415	5	295	80,715
13	79,523	5	285	79,813
Saturday				
Sunday				
16	79,537	5	286	79,828
17	79,414	5	317	79,736
18	78,357	5	314	78,676
19	78,208	5	299	78,512
20	77,801	5	256	78,062
Saturday				
Sunday				
23	77,057	5	267	77,329
24	78,246	5	252	78,503
25	78,174	5	242	78,421
26	79,973	5	262	80,240
27	81,208	5	281	81,494
Saturday				
Sunday				
30	82,429	5	300	82,734
31	83,685	5	297	83,987

Table 27. SOYBEANS: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
July 1956

Date	Future						All Futures
	July	September	November	January	March	May	
1956	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>July</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Sunday							
2	17,203	21,438	20,719	13,500	5,771		78,631
3	16,780	22,096	21,349	13,596	5,904		79,725
Holiday							
5	16,099	21,665	21,626	14,293	6,447		80,130
6	14,486	21,954	21,909	14,383	6,513		79,245
Saturday							
Sunday							
9	13,527	22,507	22,468	14,783	6,984		80,269
10	12,723	22,755	23,445	15,167	7,389		81,479
11	11,993	22,810	23,475	15,280	7,389		80,947
12	10,199	23,383	23,896	15,439	7,498		80,415
13	8,829	23,463	24,231	15,408	7,592		79,523
Saturday							
Sunday							
16	7,685	23,835	24,922	15,462	7,633		79,537
17	6,664	23,965	25,252	15,689	7,844		79,414
18	5,242	24,091	25,142	15,792	8,090		78,357
19	4,255	24,432	25,291	15,887	8,343		78,208
20	2,298	24,503	26,071	16,053	8,876		77,801
Saturday							
Sunday							
23	363	23,269	26,798	16,069	9,380	1,178	77,057
24	8	21,748	27,757	16,124	10,872	1,737	78,246
25	5	21,148	27,773	16,019	11,074	2,155	78,174
26	---	22,040	28,179	15,836	11,485	2,433	79,973
27	---	22,137	28,621	16,031	11,517	2,902	81,208
Saturday							
Sunday							
30	---	22,227	29,155	16,133	11,722	3,192	82,429
31	---	22,257	29,462	16,304	11,805	3,857	83,685



Table 28. SOYBEANS: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, July 1956

Date	1956 July future				1956 September future				1956 November future			
	:High	Low	Cents	Closing	:High	Low	Cents	Closing	:High	Low	Cents	Closing
1956												
July												
Sunday												
2	:279 1/2	272	273 3/4-74 1/4	273 3/4-74 1/4	:256 7/8	254 1/2	255 1/2-56	255 1/2-56	:249 3/4	247 1/2	249-49 1/4	249-49 1/4
3	:276	272 1/4	274 1/4-3/4	274 1/4-3/4	:257 1/2	254 3/4	254 3/4-55	254 3/4-55	:249 3/4	247	247-47 1/4	247-47 1/4
Holiday												
5	:276 1/2	271 1/2	275 1/2-76 1/4	275 1/2-76 1/4	:254 3/4	252	253 3/4-54 1/4	253 3/4-54 1/4	:246 1/2	243 3/4	245-45 1/4	245-45 1/4
6	:281 1/4	276 1/4	276 1/2-77	276 1/2-77	:257	254 1/4	254 1/2-3/4	254 1/2-3/4	:247 1/2	245 3/4	246 1/2-3/4	246 1/2-3/4
Saturday												
Sunday												
9	:278 1/2	271 1/4	271 3/4-72 1/4	271 3/4-72 1/4	:254 1/4	250 1/2	250 1/2-3/4	250 1/2-3/4	:246 1/2	243 1/2	244-44 1/4	244-44 1/4
10	:271	267 3/4	268 1/2-69	268 1/2-69	:252 1/2	249 1/2	250 3/4-51	250 3/4-51	:245 3/4	243 1/2	244 3/4-45	244 3/4-45
11	:274 1/2	268	274 1/4-1/2	274 1/4-1/2	:254 1/2	250	254-54 1/2	254-54 1/2	:245 1/2	243 1/4	245-45 1/4	245-45 1/4
12	:276	265	267 3/4-68	267 3/4-68	:255	249 3/4	250 1/2-3/4	250 1/2-3/4	:245 1/2	243	243 1/2-3/4	243 1/2-3/4
13	:269 1/4	264	264 1/2-65	264 1/2-65	:252	250	250 1/2-3/4	250 1/2-3/4	:244 1/4	243 1/4	244-44 1/4	244-44 1/4
Saturday												
Sunday												
16	:268	264	266-66 1/4	266-66 1/4	:252 1/2	251 1/4	251 1/2-52	251 1/2-52	:246 1/2	244 1/2	245-45 1/4	245-45 1/4
17	:268	263 1/2	265-65 1/2	265-65 1/2	:252 3/4	250 1/4	251-51 1/4	251-51 1/4	:246	244 1/4	244 3/4-45 1/4	244 3/4-45 1/4
18	:265 1/2	262 3/4	264-64 1/2	264-64 1/2	:252 1/2	250 3/4	252 1/4-1/2	252 1/4-1/2	:246	244 3/4	245 3/4-46	245 3/4-46
19	:264 1/4	256	257 3/4-58 1/4	257 3/4-58 1/4	:254	251 1/4	251 3/4-52	251 3/4-52	:247 1/2	245 3/4	246-46 1/4	246-46 1/4
20	:258	249	249-52	249-52	:252 1/4	247 1/4	247 1/2-48	247 1/2-48	:246	242	242-42 1/4	242-42 1/4
Saturday												
Sunday												
23	:---	---	---	---	:247	240	240-40 1/4	240-40 1/4	:242	236 1/2	236 3/4-37	236 3/4-37
24	:---	---	---	---	:243 1/2	237 3/4	243-43 1/4	243-43 1/4	:239 1/2	234 3/4	239 1/4-1/2	239 1/4-1/2
25	:---	---	---	---	:243	239 1/4	241-41 1/4	241-41 1/4	:240	236	236 3/4-37	236 3/4-37
26	:---	---	---	---	:244 1/2	240 1/4	243 1/2-3/4	243 1/2-3/4	:239 3/4	236	239 1/4-1/2	239 1/4-1/2
27	:---	---	---	---	:246 1/4	243 1/2	245 1/4-46	245 1/4-46	:242 1/4	239 1/2	241 1/2-3/4	241 1/2-3/4
Saturday												
Sunday												
30	:---	---	---	---	:244 3/4	241	241-41 1/2	241-41 1/2	:241	238	238 1/4-1/2	238 1/4-1/2
31	:---	---	---	---	:242	239 1/4	241 1/2-3/4	241 1/2-3/4	:239	237 1/8	238 3/4-39	238 3/4-39

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